DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Sugarcane, mulberry, paddy, ragi, avare, togari and horse-gram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, ragi, avare, togari, horse-gram and sugarcane are being harvested in several parts of the District.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the District. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Such as ragi, avare, togari, horse-gram, groundnuts, and paddy are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Potatoes are being sown in some parts of Chikballapur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy is being harvested in Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, and Malur Taluks. Ragi is being harvested in Goribidnur, Bagepalli and Chintamani Taluks. Togari, avare and Hutchellu are being harvested in Bowringpet Taluk. Sugar-cane, is being harvested in Bowringpet and Chikballapur Taluks. Groundnuts are being harvested in Srinivaspur, Goribidnur, Bagepalli, Chikballapur and Chintamani Taluks.

10. *Prospects of the season are fair.* Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Black-quarter and Anthrax in some parts of Chintamani Taluk and "Chappe roga" in Bagepalli Taluk.

Fodder, pasture and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in parts of Sira and Koratagere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Jola, groundnut, avare and horse-gram in all parts of the District. Paddy in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Sira and Kunigal Taluks and sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Kunigal and Koratagere Taluks: yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugarcane in parts of Tumkur, Kunigal and Koratagere Taluks. Avare, togari and jola in other parts of the District are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, jola, horsegram, avare, togari, kadale, black and green grams, til, tobacco, tadagani, groundnut, castor, cotton, chillies, coriander, same, navane, sugar cane, are said to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Horsegram, togari and avare in parts of Mysore Taluk, horse-gram and paddy in parts of Chamrajnagar, ragi and paddy in parts of Seringapatam, paddy, togari, horsegram and tobacco in parts of Hunsur, paddy and togari in parts of Yedatore, castor, horsegram, avare, togari, tobacco, til, groundnut and paddy in parts of Gundlupet. Paddy, horsegram and kadale in parts of Nanjangud, ragi and paddy in parts of Malvalli Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of cattle disease in parts of Heggaddevankote Taluk and of Chappe roga in Heggavadi and in Yalakkure and Doddaroga in Kooderu of Chamrajnagar, Dodaroga in Helaganahalli and Kandagala of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk and Chappe roga in Guduganahalli of Krishnarajapete Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to, to take remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the Hassan Arsikere and Channerayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; avarein the Hassan, Belur, Arsikere, and Channarayapatna Taluks; kadale in the Hassan, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; castor in the Belur Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks; paddy, togari, and coriander, in the Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Manjarabad, Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; sugar-cane in the Belur, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; kulthi in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk and togari in the Channarayapatna Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for "foot and mouth" disease, in the Kinnerahalli village, Halekote Hobli, Hole-Narsipur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the taluks of Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi.

Crops sown.—No crops were sown during the week.

State of Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks and Sub-Taluk of Kumsi; jola and cotton in the Channagiri Taluk; green grain and Bengal gram in the Sorab Taluk are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali; Sorab Sagar and in the sub-taluk of Kumsi; cotton in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; avare, togari, and horse-gram in the Honnali Taluk; ragi in the Sorab Taluk, are being harvested; sugar-cane is being milled in some parts of the Nagar Taluk during the week.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for foot and mouth disease in some parts of the Basavapatna Hobli of the Channagiri Taluk and in some parts of the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned have been addressed to take remedial measures. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are preparing their lands for sowing the Mungar crops in the Kadur Taluk.

Crops sown.—Sugar-cane in Chikmagalur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, coffee and ragi in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the District; jolam, castor, chillies, garlic, coriander, menthya, avare, horse gram wheat and Bengal gram in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks are reported to be thriving well.

Crops harvested.—Coffee and cardamom in Chikmagalur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks; horse gram, avare, coriander and chillies in Chikmaglur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available, and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District. But it is reported that rinderpest in Kancaghathahalli, and Yalagondanahalli, Kadur Taluk, Hariharpura, Koppa Town, Bintravalli, Yedathanti, Bomlapura and Nilavagalu Villages in Koppa Taluk, Haluvalli in Mudigere Taluk, Magundi and Hantur villages in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and Sringeri Town, and foot and mouth disease in Hebbe and Narasmiharajapura Town are

prevailing. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to be taking needful measures against the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

1. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

9. 2. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, cotton, paddy, kadale, bilijola, tobacco, castor togari, avare, chillies, wheat and horse-gram are reported to be in good condition.

3. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

4. *Crops harvested.*—(In the Taluks of)—Chitaldrug—Avare and togari (8 annas). Challakere—Horse gram, groundnuts, and tobacco (6 to 8 annas). Hiriyur—Paddy, ragi, and navane. Holalkere—Avare togari and chillies (8 annas); Davangere—Kadale and sugar-cane (8 annas). Molakalmuru—Cotton, togari, avare, horse-gram (8 annas). Jagalur—Castor, togari and avare (8 to 10 annas). Hosdurga—Navane, ragi, jola and horse-gram. Harihar Sub-Taluk—Jola, ragi, navane, cotton, green-gram, thogari, avare, horse-gram and chillies (8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11 Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" and "Foot Mouth" disease in parts of Chitaldrug and Holalkere Taluks and "Foot and Mouth" disease in parts of Jagalur Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors, attached to the Taluks are taking needful action.

Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 15th January 1929.

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Assistant Commissioner,
for *Revenue Commissioner,*
(Absent from the Station.)